



**RE: Metal Bank Recap of Friday's phone call** 

**Sharon Fang** to: Dobi, John S.

Cc: "Lees, Ray", John Monsees, **Exemption 4 - CBI**, SLangseder

08/05/2008 08:42 AM

Hi John,

Thanks for setting this meeting up. I will see you at 1 today.

As follow-up to our speaking yesterday afternoon, I mentioned to you that personal vehicles are still driving from the staging area through the exclusion zone and back out again. As you know, the wet decon pad is not yet in operation. It is pending the treatment plant. Connor had discussed this issue with Steve on-site and Tetratex and Midlantic continue driving in the exclusion zone. This practice of potential cross contamination should cease until proper decontamination can be set up. Perhaps they should designate a vehicle/tools to remain inside the exclusion zone.

Sharon Fang, P.E.  
Eastern Pennsylvania Remedial Branch  
Environmental Protection Agency, Region III  
1650 Arch Street, 3HS21  
Philadelphia, PA 19103-2029  
phone 215-814-3018, fax 3002  
mobile phone 215-514-8674  
"Dobi, John S." <John.Dobi@pseg.com>



"Dobi, John S."  
<John.Dobi@pseg.com>  
08/04/2008 04:05 PM

To Sharon Fang/R3/USEPA/US@EPA  
cc "Lees, Ray" <RLees@PIRNIE.com>  
Subject RE: Metal Bank Recap of Friday's phone call

Sharon,

I just tried to call you with Ray Lees. As a follow up to our call last week, is it still possible to meet at either EPA or Ray's office so we can agree how to track and agree to "forms" to record any field modifications we / or you propose and obtain your or our concurrence. We should be able to have a paper trail to document how we record field modifications of the RAWP. It will be much easier to develop "As built Drawings" and enable Malcolm Pirnie or TTEC P.E. can sign and seal final drawings.

John  
John S. Dobi, Ph.D.  
Project Manager Licenses and Permits  
PSEG Licenses and Permits  
80 Park Plaza T17H  
Newark, N.J. 07102

Phone 973 430 8036  
Cell 973 610 3108  
Fax 973 624 9047  
E-mail: John.Dobi @PSEG.com

-----Original Message-----

From: Fang.Sharon@epamail.epa.gov [mailto:Fang.Sharon@epamail.epa.gov]  
Sent: Monday, August 04, 2008 3:40 PM  
To: RLees@PIRNIE.com  
Cc: Dobi, John S.; JVitale@PIRNIE.COM; [Exemption 4 - CBI];  
Thomas.M.Gibison@usace.army.mil; charles.l.nicholas@usace.army.mil;  
Reuben.P.Wade@usace.army.mil; [Exemption 4 - CBI]; SLangseder@PIRNIE.com  
Subject: Metal Bank Recap of Friday's phone call

Hi Ray,

I wanted to jot down an email to recap our discussion on Friday, August 1st. You called to ask what type of detail we would require in a schedule. I replied that the schedule should provide the timing of site activities with enough lead time for submittal review by the Engineer and by the regulatory agencies (if necessary). Of particular concern to the oversight team is the proposed sequencing of work for the sheet pile wall and marine cap. We have been told that necessary information is in the approved remedial action workplan, however, since the June 30th meeting, we have requested more specifics. The approved submittal for the sheet pile was sent to EPA via email on Thursday, July 31st. Sheet piling activities began Friday, August 1st. You indicated that a critical path schedule will be generated to include this type of detail.

I cited the consent decree Section X states that the monthly report should provide "progress of construction, including, but not limited to, critical path diagrams, Gantt charts, and Pert charts..." July's report did not include such information. CD Paragraph 32 provides that EPA will be notified "of any activity, including, but not limited to implementation of work plans, no later than seven (7) days prior to the performance of the activity."

The absence of specific information about the schedule and construction sequencing has undermined our confidence in the Groups ability to perform the remedial action per the approved design. Per my conversation with Joe Vitale this morning, I understand that we will be discussing the schedule in detail on Thursday.

Sharon Fang, P.E.  
Eastern Pennsylvania Remedial Branch  
Environmental Protection Agency, Region III  
1650 Arch Street, 3HS21  
Philadelphia, PA 19103-2029  
phone 215-814-3018, fax 3002  
mobile phone 215-514-8674

-----  
The information contained in this e-mail, including any attachment(s), is intended solely for use by the named addressee(s). If you are not the intended recipient, or a person designated as responsible for delivering such messages to the intended recipient, you are not authorized to disclose, copy, distribute or retain this message, in whole or in part, without written authorization from PSEG. This e-mail may contain proprietary, confidential or privileged information. If you have

received this message in error, please notify the sender immediately. This notice is included in all e-mail messages leaving PSEG. Thank you for your cooperation.